07-08-05

CARSTENS & CAHOON LLP

Jeffrey G. Degenfelder

July 7, 2005

Firm Name

Signature

Date

Printed name

PTO/SB/21 (09-04) Approved for use through 07/31/2006. OMB 0651-0031 U.S. Patent and Trademark Office; U.S. DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995, no persons are required to respond to a collection of information unless it displays a valid OMB control number. Application Number 10/614,323 Filing Date TRANSMITTAL July 7, 2003 First Named Inventor Edward Anthony Bezek **FORM** Art Unit 3727 **Examiner Name** Joseph C. Merek (to be used for all correspondence after initial filing) Attorney Docket Number CFLAY.00199 Total Number of Pages in This Submission **ENCLOSURES** (Check all that apply) After Allowance Communication to TC Drawing(s) Fee Transmittal Form Appeal Communication to Board Licensing-related Papers of Appeals and Interferences Fee Attached Appeal Communication to TC X (Appeal Notice, Brief, Reply Brief) Petition Amendment/Reply Petition to Convert to a Proprietary Information **Provisional Application** After Final Power of Attorney, Revocation Status Letter Change of Correspondence Address Affidavits/declaration(s) Other Enclosure(s) (please Identify Terminal Disclaimer below): Extension of Time Request Request for Refund Return Receipt Postcard **Express Abandonment Request** CD, Number of CD(s)_ Information Disclosure Statement Landscape Table on CD Certified Copy of Priority Remarks Document(s) Response to Office Action mailed April 7, 2005 Reply to Missing Parts/ Incomplete Application Reply to Missing Parts under 37 CFR 1.52 or 1.53

	CE	RTIFICATE OF T	RANSMISSION	/MAILING		
I hereby certify that this c sufficient postage as first the date shown below:	orrespondence is be class mail in an env	eing facsimile transmitt elope addressed to: C	ed to the USPTO or ommissioner for Pate	deposited with the Ur ents, P.O. Box 1450,	ited States Postal Servic Alexandria, VA 22313-14	ce with 150 on
Signature	nanny	90 mar				
Typed or printed name	Nancy Graham			Date	July 7, 2005	

Reg. No.

44,647

SIGNATURE OF APPLICANT, ATTORNEY, OR AGENT

This collection of information is required by 37 CFR 1.5. The information is required to obtain or retain a benefit by the public which is to file (and by the USPTO to process) an application. Confidentiality is governed by 35 U.S.C. 122 and 37 CFR 1.11 and 1.14. This collection is estimated to 2 hours to complete, including gathering, preparing, and submitting the completed application form to the USPTO. Time will vary depending upon the individual case. Any comments on the amount of time you require to complete this form and/or suggestions for reducing this burden, should be sent to the Chief Information Officer, U.S. Patent and Trademark Office, U.S. Department of Commerce, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450. DO NOT SEND FEES OR COMPLETED FORMS TO THIS ADDRESS. SEND TO: Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450.



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

flicant:

Edward Anthony Bezek

Serial Number:

10/614,323

Filing Date:

July 7, 2003

Title:

Implosion Resistant Containers

Examiner:

Joseph C. Merek

Art Unit:

3727

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION

Sir:

In response to the correspondence mailed April 7, 2005, the Applicant offers the following amendments and remarks: